

IMMANUEL'S

MESS ENGER

MAY 2023

WHAT IS HAPPENING THIS MONTH AT IMMANUEL



Celebrating Confirmation Day here at Immanuel on May 21st at the 10:30 service.

Austin James Bartelt, son of Richard & Katie Bartelt
Nayeli Calzada Chairez, daughter of Sirila Chairez
Julienn Steven Riedl, son of Matthew & Caity Berndt
Madilyn 'Mimi' Rhi Stivarius, daughter of Ben & Rhiannon Stivarius
Teagen John Stivarius, son of Ben & Rhiannon Stivarius
Charles Mark Sukow, son of Kevin & Jennie Sukow



LETTER CARRIERS' FOOD DRIVE

SECOND SATURDAY IN MAY

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Rachel's Day - May 14, 2023

Women boldly standing for children

We will be commemorating Rachel's Day on Mother's Day.

In Jeremiah 31:15-17, Rachel grieved for her children. "Rachel's Day" is a time to mourn the loss of our children to gun violence and to renounce forces of violence and fear. The original focus of Rachel's Day was and still is to shine a light on gun violence and gun deaths, especially among children and youth. Rachel's lamentation can become the resolve to say "Enough is Enough." Rachel refused to be comforted, and scripture implies her weeping went on for a long time. Many may believe that gun violence is part of our culture, and we can do nothing about it. But Rachel was not deterred. Her actions bore witness to the urgency and gravity of the situation and the need to take action.

Immanuel's WELCA knows ending violence is a difficult challenge. As mothers we want all children safe. On Mother's Day we will remember all children, have the opportunity to advocate for them by writing postcards to our elected leaders regarding gun violence in our communities, and collect a Noisy Offering for PAVE in Beaver Dam. PAVE provides shelter, advocacy, counseling, and more for people who experience domestic and sexual violence.



NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION June 4 after worship service

We will have our next new member orientation after the 9am service on June 4th. We will be contacting new potential members that we are aware of at this time. If you are interested in finding out more about Immanuel contact us at 920-261-1663 or email jshackley.immanuel@gmail.com. If this date doesn't work for the majority of people we might change the date. We will keep you updated.



Immanuel's Quilter's have been busy this year. So far they have made a total of 70 quilt's for Lutheran World Relief. They have lots of fabric to work with but are always looking for more people to join them. Nothing fancy, just help tie knots & a couple hours of meeting new people!



WATERTOWN SENIOR CARE FAIR

AN EFFORT TO SUPPORT AREA SENIORS LIVING WITH DEMENTIA, ALZHEIMER'S, AND AGING CHALLENGES, AND THEIR CAREGIVERS

FREE EVENT!

WED, MAY 10, 2023
3:00 - 7:00 PM

WATERTOWN SENIOR & COMMUNITY CENTER

HOSTED BY: Watertown Senior & Community Center, Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRC) of Dodge and Jefferson Counties, and The Watertown Clergy Roundtable



Worship & Music wants to thank everyone that donated money for the flower display and those that helped decorate for our Easter services this year.

Below are Jeff & Collin Travis after the cross was put up on the altar.



Immanuel's Faithful Men are going out again to share their joy of music with others.

Thursday, April 13th they went to Shorehaven in Oconomowoc. They hope to continue more visiting this summer.



FAITH FORMATION by Ruth Mack

2023 First Communion Class

Rylan Matthew Berndt
Alaina Grace Chairez
Aiden Joseph Floyd
Isabella Rose Marie Galston
Caleb Henry Grochowske
Aleece Juliet Reyna
Preston Avery Schmidt



GRADUATION RECOGNITION

Immanuel will honor their College and High School Graduates at the JUNE 4th 9am service (summer schedule; only 1 service Sunday).

We would appreciate a photo - graduation or childhood - of your graduating student. Please send photo(s) to jshackley.immanuel@gmail.com.

Call/text Ruth Mack with questions at 920-988-4002.

And, please reply to this question:

***IS YOUR CHILD (name)
GRADUATING IN 2023?***

Results of the First Annual Penny Challenge Sunday School Students vs Congregation

Sunday School	29,251 points
A-L	16,006 points
M-Z	13,115 points
Total Money raised:	\$658.17

Immanuel's 150th Anniversary

Mark your calendars NOW for **January 2025** when we will celebrate the 150th Anniversary of our congregation.

Did you know . . . *The first year's we rented the "Welsh Church" (building now a residence) for \$5.50 a month and held 2 services there every Sunday.*

Watch for more fun facts in the coming months!



MISSION WORK

MONTHLY REPORTS March 2023

Hometown Mission Fund

Beginning balance: 02/28/2023	\$ 413.74
Deposits	\$ 125.00
1 check(s) written	\$ 160.00
Service fees	\$ 2.95
Ending balance 03/30/2023	\$ 374.79

19 contacts made in March
1 family was provided assistance

Community Laundry

Beginning balance: 03/01/2023	\$ 2,016.89
Deposits	\$ 0.00
Interest	\$ 0.05
MINUS Operating Cost	- \$ 508.00
Ending balance 03/31/2023	<u>\$ 1,508.94</u>
Bank Balance 03/31/2023	\$ 1,192.69
Loose Cash on Hand 03/31/2023	<u>\$ 316.25</u>
	<u>\$ 1,508.94</u>

132 families served in March (16 repeat)
109 washer loads - 143 dryer loads

Personal Essentials Pantry

Beginning balance: 03/01/2023	\$ 8,932.12
March Deposits	\$ 632.39
March Purchases	\$ 167.50
Ending balance 03/31/2023	\$ 9,397.01



SCHEDULE FOR MAY . . .

- 4 Lake Mills Bank
- 11 Christ United Methodist
- 18 St. Mark's Lutheran Church
- 25 St. Bernard's Catholic Church

Bread & Roses - March Report

Beginning Balance 03/01/2023	\$ 3,706.28
March Deposit	\$ 581.40
March Expenses	\$ 125.82
Ending Balance 03/31/2023	\$ 4,161.86
Savings Balance: 03/31/2023	\$ 3,541.91
Guests Served: 03/01 - 03/31/2023	1,171

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP Tuesday, May 16 from 11-12

Support group for those who have experienced loss and grief, whether loss of a loved one or another type of loss, recent or from years ago. All are welcome.

Noisy Offering

Mission & Outreach will coordinate the Noisy Offering schedule. We will always (most usually) have the Noisy Offering on the 3rd weekend of each month. If your group is interested in having a weekend set aside please contact a member of the Mission & Outreach Committee.

May 14-15, our Noisy Offering will go towards **Rachel's Day**. We recognize Mother's Day each year as Rachel's Day based on Jeremiah 31:15-17 where in Rachel grieved for her children, to mourn the loss of our children and to renounce the forces of evil and fear that plague our nation. Money collected this weekend will be sent to our synod to help with projects involving all children. **Start saving your change for this worthy project!**



Membership Report - March 2023

Worship Attendance:

	8:00 am	10:30 am	6:30 pm	9 am / Special	Total	Average	Info/Service
2023							
Mar. 1			58		58	58	2nd wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 5/6	67	54	20		141	47	
Mar. 8			35		35	35	3rd wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 12/13	51	54	20		125	42	
Mar. 15			39		39	39	4th wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 19/20	78	74	18		170	57	
Mar. 22			29		29	29	5th wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 26/27	97	104	20		221	74	(baptism at 10:30)
Mar. 29			29		29	29	6th wk of Lent 6:30
Totals	293	286	268		847		
2022							
Mar. 2		42	77		119	60	Ash Wednesday 11 am & 6:30 pm
Mar. 6/7	42	31	18		91	30	
Mar. 9			25		25		2nd wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 13/14	60	36	14		110	37	
Mar. 16			38		38		3rd wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 20/21	72	40	17		129	43	
Mar. 23			32				4th wk of Lent 6:30
Mar. 27/28	56	33	19		108	36	
Mar. 30			38				5th wk of Lent 6:30
Totals	230	182	278	0	690		

Baptisms:

Rylee Marie Peters, March 26, 2023

Baptized: 833*

Confirmed: 697*

*These are the numbers that are available through our current membership software.

Member(s) Released/Transferred:

Dick & Roxanne Rollefson have transferred to Our Savior's Lutheran in Oconomowoc, 03/06/2023

Immanuel Ladies Lunch Bunch - We will be going to Bigg's Bar & Grill, located at 1217 River Dr. on May 23rd at 11:30am. Call the church office for a reservation & meet at Bigg's for a great lunch.

W-ELCA & IMMANUEL'S CIRCLES

W-ELCA Board will meet on Wednesday, May 3 @ 10:00am

Quilter's are meeting in the Multi Purpose Room at 9am on:

Tuesday, May 2; Wednesday, May 10 and Thursday, May 25

Bible Circles

Our Bible Circles continue to meet; you are welcome to visit either group.

Mary Circle will meet Tuesday, May 16th at 4:00pm in the Youth Room.

Sarah Circle will meet Thursday, May 18th at 9:30am in the Conference Room

Treasurer's Report - March 2023

Actual Weekly Income

	General	Debt Retirement	Building Offering	Mission Support	Other Budgetary Designated	Capital Campaign	Other Designated	Total
3/5	10,805.50	—	170.00	125.00	620.00	1,107.00	147.00	12,974.50
3/12	3,293.50	—	55.00	20.00	295.00	1,000.00	630.00	5,293.50
3/19	9,993.32	—	55.00	20.00	8.00	1,005.00	715.41	11,796.73
3/26	4,651.00	—	65.00	30.00	230.00	910.00	1,585.54	7,471.54
TOTALS:	28,743.32	—	345.00	195.00	1,153.00	4,022.00	3,077.95	37,536.27
Year-to-Date GENERAL Budget Needs (Week #13)			\$92,047.00	Actual		\$105,419.21		
Year-to-Date CAPITAL CAMPAIGN Budget Needs (Month #3)			\$75,000.00	Actual		\$74,844.00		
Year-to-Date OTHER Designated Income					\$5,874.97			

Loan Expenses: Short-term loan: \$ 0.00
Immanuel's Promise: Loan Balance: \$1,213,218.18

Memorials:
 Virginia Fries: Hometown-\$25.00; Capital Campaign-\$25.00
 Virginia Tiffany: Capital Campaign-\$20.00

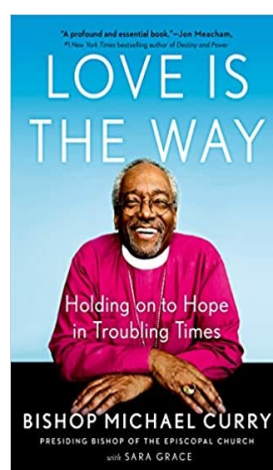
Honorarium:

IMMANUEL'S BOOK CLUB

**Wednesday,
 May 17th - 1:00pm**



Do you enjoy reading a good book? Would you like to discuss what you've read with others? Then we're the group for you! **Immanuel's Book Club meets the third Wednesday of each month at 1:00 in the Youth Room at church.** Our next meeting is on **May 17** and we will be discussing *The Interesting* by Meg Wolitzer. This is a novel about six teenagers at a summer camp for the arts. They become inseparable. The novel follows them through middle age where changes are sometimes inevitable. The book is available through the public library. Join us!



Pastor Carina would like to invite you all to consider joining a book study of Bishop Michael Curry of the Episcopal Church **Love is the Way: Holding on to Hope in Troubling Times.**

This will be a four-week study with fellowship time. Call the office to reserve a copy of the book.

We are planning to meet the following Wednesdays from 5:30-6:30pm.
 May 31, June 7, 14, 21. Location TBD.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES IN MAY

1 Leah Klotz	19 Wanda Udovich
3 Patricia Benzel	20 John Polenski
3 Heidi Graf	20 Mason Triana
4 Joyce Daevel	20 Clarence Zabel
4 Harriet Daley	21 Hannah Grochowske
5 Rita Argus	21 Karen Gustafson
5 Bristol Kumbier	21 Hannah Jensen
6 Mark Peterson	21 David Morstad
7 Wayne Gerber	21 Linnea Nagel
7 Hayden Schmidt	23 Isaac Jaeckel
7 Zackery Umland	23 John S. Jagler
8 Jodi Dabrowski	23 Sue Schramm
8 Mark Vette	23 Alex Schuett
8 Connie Wolff	23 Eliana Schuett
8 Samantha Zubke	24 Roger Bergmann
9 Sarah Stocks	25 Erline Adler
10 Pamela Neis	25 Ryan Olszewski
10 Zachary Schmidt	26 Bob Boxell
13 Nickolas Weihert	26 Randy Douglas
13 Julie Zwiig	26 Karen Herritz
14 Neil Ebert	26 Jim Martin
14 Dana Grosenick	27 Darcilla Moyer
16 John Himrich	28 Dillon Jacobson
16 Roland Jaeckel	28 Nora Sukow
16 Xay Yang	29 Mike Prochaska
17 Ella Foltz	29 Lori Sjoberg
18 Matthew Berndt	30 Dennis Justman
18 Jan Schmidt	30 Benjamin Petersen
19 Bronson Grinwald	30 Julienn Riedl
19 Victor Miller	30 Lauren Scholze
19 Dean Prestegaard	31 Ryan Bast



Wedding Anniversaries!

4 Mel & Joann Teska
10 Jason & Kristen Korth
10 Victor & Dianne Nass-Krueger
12 Samantha & Cameron Field
13 Randy & Heidi Zechzer
16 Steve & Karey Lueck
17 Mike & Melissa Prochaska
18 Heather & Michael Young
19 Jason & Michelle Jaeckel
20 Curt & Janice Buss
21 Michael & Julie Gaugert
22 Carl Matson & Ann Nagel
22 Jeff & Kris Travis
24 Jim & Susan Daniels
25 Eric & Linnea Nagel
27 Matt & Jodie Wolff
28 Charlene & Keith Berg
28 Keith & Rita Lueck
30 Andy & Lauren Wheeler

If your date is missing, please call the office.

Ministers: All the people of Immanuel

Rev. Carina Schiltz, Pastor

Matt Stein, Director of Music Ministries

Janis Shackley, Office Manager

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May 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 10-12p ESL Classes Youth Room 5:15p Mission & Outreach 6-8p ESL Classes Youth Room 6:30p Evening Worship	2 9:00a Quilter's	3 10:00a W-ELCA 3:30p Confirmation 6:30p Faithful Men 7:15p Festival Choir	4 6:00p Worship & Music	5	6
7 8:00a Morning Worship 9:15a Education Hour 10:30a Blended Worship	8 10-12p ESL Classes Youth Room 5:00p Faith Formation 6-8p ESL Classes Youth Room 6:30p Evening Worship	9 6:00p Food Pantry Spring Fling @ Plattdeutscher	10 9:00a Quilter's 3-7p Senior Care Fair @ Wttn Senior Center 3:30p Confirmation 6:30p Faithful Men 7:15p Festival Choir	11 5:00p Properties in Youth Room 6:00p Finance	12	13 U.S. Postal Food Drive
14 8:00a Morning Worship 9:15a Education Hour 9:15a Coffee Fellowship by W-ELCA 10:30a Blended Worship	15 10-12p ESL Classes Youth Room 6-8p ESL Classes Youth Room 6:30p Evening Worship	16 11:00a Bereavement Support Group 4:00p Mary Circle Youth Room 5:00p Food Pantry Conference Room 6:00p Congregational Council - Youth Room	17 1:00p Book Club in Youth Room 3:30p Confirmation 6:30p Faithful Men 7:15p Festival Choir	18 9:30a Sarah Circle Conference Room	19	20 Synod Assembly @ Evangelical Lutheran Mt. Horeb
<p><i>Noisy Offering for PAVE</i></p>						
21 8:00a Morning Worship 9:15a Education Hour LAST DAY OF CLASSES 10:30a Worship led by Confirmation Students & CONFIRMATION	22 10-12p ESL Classes Youth Room 6-8p ESL Classes Youth Room 6:30p Evening Worship	23 11:30a I.L.L.B. at Bigg's Bar & Grill	24 11:00a Staff Meeting 6:30p Faithful Men 7:15p Festival Choir	25 9:00a Quilter's	26	27
28 9:00a Morning Worship	29 MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY Office Closed NO Food Pantry 6:30p Evening Worship	30 4-6p Art Walk Downtown	31 5:30p Pastor's Book Study			

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church Thursday, March 21, 2023 at 6:00pm Location: Youth Room

PRESENT: Andy Woodard, Bob Boxell, Ryan Lessner, Emily Lessner, Ruth Mack, Sue Weihert, DeWayne Roberson, the Rev. Carina Schiltz, Brian Konz, Sue Putra

ABSENT: Ryan Lessner

Call to Order

President DeWayne Roberson called the meeting to order at 6:04pm. A quorum was present.

Opening Devotion

Pastor Carina - Council thinking of 1-2 words - Values (come from your faith)

- Words shared: Kindness, Compassion, Empathy, Faithfulness, Truthfulness, Trust, Friendliness, Love

Approval of Meeting Agenda

MOTION: To approve the agenda as presented.

By: Ruth Mack, Second: Brian Konz — *Motion carried by voice vote.*

Vision Victories

- Holy Week was beautiful and appreciated; emotional. Comment from a guest of the congregation wondering if Good Friday music was piped in - sounded well done.
- Children singing with the adults on Palm Sunday. Kids felt they were part of it.
- Palm Sunday breakfast. Delicious and well-attended. Over 100 served. Confirmands were good help on Saturday.
- Palm Sunday bingo, Maundy Thursday, First Communion, Washing of the hands, Vigil, Easter Sunday.
- Faithful Men - sang at Shorehaven

Approval of Meeting Minutes

MOTION: To approve the minutes of the Congregation Council meeting held on March 21, 2022.

By: Brian Konz, Second: Bob Boxell — *Motion carried by voice vote.*

Financial Report

The Finance Committee reviewed the financial reports and recommends adoption.

MOTION: To accept the March 2023 Financial Report as presented.

By: Sue Putra, Second: Sue Weihert — *Motion carried by voice vote.*

Membership Report

MOTION: To accept the March 2023 Membership Report.

By: Katie Bartelt, Second: Ruth Mack — *Motion carried by voice vote.*

Pastor's Report

Pastor submitted her report to council prior to the meeting. No questions.

Committee Reports

The council received written reports from most committees of the congregation via email prior to the meeting. Following the meeting, all reports will be on file in the church narthex.

Old Business

Restroom Assist Rails

- Required due to code. \$730/each x 4 (includes labor)
 - **Motion** to accept bid from Maas Brother with contingency of 60 days - Made by: Brian Konz, Second: Sue Putra - *Motion carried by voice vote.*
- Discussion - if not completed in 60 days, pursue alternate installation

Fire Dept. walk-through recommendations and completions

- Council had no questions regarding updates and recommendations - update from Dawn provided to council

Staff Evaluations Committee

- No report

Parish Protection Plan

- Possibly ready in May. Regarding children, youth and vulnerable adults.

Fellowship Hall repairs & damage

- Cost was in the area of \$8,000 for necessary repairs and replacement of parts. WELCA has financed some of the repairs. Endowment board will be discussing request for additional funds at June meeting.

Endowment Fund questions

Listening Committee report

- Wrapping up this Sunday, will present in May or June.

New Business

Police Department walk-through with Mark P., Pastor, & DeWayne

- Discussed no weapons in church, discussion with police department, discussed response time from police department
 - Pastor and DeWayne shared what they learned from officer.
 - Grant options may be available.
 - No decisions being made tonight,
1. Nightlocks - discussed cost, rationale, identified room(s) for safe room
 2. 3M Bulletproof Security Film - Windows in doors of church, discussed this safety feature
 3. Greeters at unsecured doors during church services - discussed greeter at entry door for Sunday School to let in children/parents (door locked)
 4. Unsupervised areas

Security Cameras not operable - possible offer from WELCA

- WELCA has discussed this
- Discussed someone coming in to look at the cameras (C.S.)
- Other options shared - Blink system

Audit Report 2022 - prepared by Kelly Braunschweig

- Discussed committee and timeline of audit
- Lisa, Evan and Doug are on audit committee this year. DeWayne will contact Lisa regarding audit report.

Return of Coffee Hours (proposal from Worship and Music)

- Sue shared history of coffee hours, WELCA hosted several coffee hours
- WELCA came up with 7 dates between now and end of summer, looking for hosts - between two services, summer - after 9:00 service
- Value of Coffee Hours - Find people you don't know well

Fundraisers and Leadership

- Ruth Mack shared thoughts about 150th anniversary - church directory
- Pastor - Who are the people who can work on the Capitol Campaign to bring down the mortgage
 - ◊ Wondering about who can come together to fundraise/lead this
 - ◊ Discussion of large-scale fundraising options as a group

Calendar Review

5/9 Tuesday - Food Pantry Spring Fling

5/13 Saturday - U.S. Postal Food Drive

5/14 Sunday - Finance Committee 11:45 (will reschedule - Mother's Day)

5/16 Tuesday - Council Meeting - 6:00 PM

5/20 Saturday - Synod Assembly - Mt. Horeb

5/21 Sunday - Confirmation & Last Day of Sunday School

5/28 Sunday - Change to Summer Schedule (9:00)

Closing Prayer

The council meeting closed with The Lord's Prayer.

Adjournment

MOTION: To adjourn the meeting at 7:48 PM.

By: Andy Woodard, Second: Katie Bartelt — *Motion carried by voice vote.*

Respectfully submitted,

Emily Lessner

Secretary

GIVING REMINDER:

The opportunity continues for us to decrease the principal on our building loan through end of January 2024 before we begin a mortgage. Let's pay down the principal as much as possible together! This last month we paid only interest—let's work together to pay interest **AND** principal! Please consider giving to this effort now.

You can give online on our website, write a check, or use vanco or Venmo.

Thank you for your commitment to the present and future of Immanuel and the ministry we do for the sake of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

KEEP UP WITH IMMANUEL SERVICES IN ANY OF THE WAYS LISTED BELOW

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Sundays at 4:00p

Web Site & YouTube:

watertownimmanuel.org/online_worship

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PASTOR HAS THE LAST WORD!

Hello, friends in Christ!

I'd like to invite us back to Maundy Thursday when we heard Jesus share an old commandment with his disciples that he calls new: "I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another." (John 13:34-35). During worship we participated in handwashing with the children and also wrote down how you strive to love as Jesus loved.

Here's what you said.

--Pastor Carina

Be a place where everyone feels welcome
Love people who are not easy to love
Be a safe place for victims to go
use natural resources carefully to minimize waste, so all people may enjoy our world
I delivered food to my friends and wished them a Happy Easter so they knew they were blessed
freely accepting others no matter how different they may be from me. wanting the best for them and working for their benefit (justice)
pay attention to the needs and preservation of water and forests
foster inclusion, address microaggressions with intention and love
visit the lonely
smile
showing kindness and friendship
by listening
helping others
peace, be kind
treating others with respect and without preconceived judgment
I won't be quick to judge others
always forgive as God as taught us to forgive
pray for our neighbors, help our neighbors
give generously to charity
be patient and forgiving, support each other and pray for each other
give food to those in need
taking care of those who have less than you
share the blessings I have been given
I shall practice agape love to those I meet
be kind accept all unconditionally
help others in need not only monetarily but thru action
share your gifts, feed and clothe those in need, love those that appear "unloved" by societal norms, be grateful, have empathy

providing a listening ear
teach love, kindness, and acceptance
by being friends with everyone and help them when they are in need
accept everyone and be kind to all
love without judgment
speaking kind words to all I meet each day
giving hugs to the elderly
read Bible each morning, help pay for other's meals
seeing people as God sees them first
be patient and forgiving, support each other and pray for each other
reconnect with someone I haven't been in touch with for years
I will visit a shut in, visit a neighbor
share with my family
be nicer than I am
patience and understanding (find a way to understand)
invite new people to join in some activities at Immanuel
caring for family
taking food to those who are homebound, call those who are alone
serve my church
be more understanding of my relatives
open the doors to let love in!
love everyone today and every day not just yourself, God loves us all
do what I can for friend with 3rd cancer episode
serve Christ by helping the poor
try better to listen to other's opinions, opposite of mine
show compassion, kindness and forgiveness to those we know and also strangers honor those who guide us and give us strength
give to others generously unconditionally
serve an Easter meal and serve food to others
From the kids: God loved everyone in the earth
"Love one another as I have loved you" John 13:1-17



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Growing in God's call to serve the world



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Janis Shackley, Office Manager
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Volunteer Coordinator
Trevor Thom, Director of Congregational Life

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Holy Communion at Every Service
All are Welcome!

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